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SUBJECT: URGING PSI ENDORSEMENT DEMARCHE DELIVERED

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Classified By: POL/ECON CHIEF JOEY HOOD, FOR REASONS 1.4 (B) AND (D).

(C) On June 4, Poloff delivered reftel demarche on endorsing the Proliferation Security Initiative (PSI) to Assistant Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs Khaled al-Akwa. Poloff encouraged the ROYG to support the PSI, including endorsing the PSI Statement of Interdiction Principles before the Senior Level Political Meeting in Poland this month. Akwa said the ROYG had received an invitation for the meeting, but did not know if a Yemeni official would attend. Post will report any additional information on Yemeni participation via septel.

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